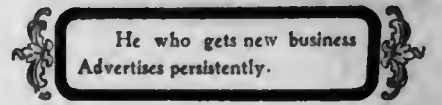


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CLEAN SWEEP

Governor Beckham is Urged to Fire All Asylum Officials.

LIKELY CANDIDATE TIPPED

The Stock Market Witnesses the Greatest Excitement Ever Known in Its History.

TODAY'S NEWS RECEIVED BY WIRE

Frankfort, May 8.—It is possible that there will be a clean sweep made in the Hopkinsville asylum, and all the present officials discharged. This is now being urged on Governor Beckham by many of his advisers, and it would not be at all a surprise if he doesn't follow their suggestions. There are many applications for the places, and in the contest for the superintendency, Dr. Wright, of Bowling Green, and Dr. Owens, of Frankfort, are considered the most likely applicants. No announcement has yet been made of Dr. McCormick's successor.

STOCK MARKET WILD.

New York, May 8.—The stock market opened today amid the wildest excitement ever known. Northern Pacific stock was bid up from one forty to one eighty in five minutes, and then dropped again to one forty-five. There was the most violent fluctuation in most all of the stocks.

APARTMENT HOUSE FIRE.

New York, May 8.—Two women perished in an apartment house fire which this morning destroyed the Lexington avenue house. Several were injured.

DISCHARGED FOR HERESY.

Chicago, May 8.—A sensation has been created in ecclesiastical circles by the removal of Prof. Gilbert, professor of the New Testament literature of the Chicago Theological seminary, for alleged heretical teachings.

MAX HANBERRY'S FATHER DEAD.

Hopkinsville, May 8.—Mr. John Hanberry, one of the county's best farmers, died today from an overdose of morphine, taken for rheumatism. He was the father of Attorney Max Hanberry, formerly of Paducah, but now of Cairo.

THE PRESIDENT'S PARTY.

Hollands, Cal., May 8.—President McKinley entered California this morning stopping first here, where he was given an enthusiastic welcome. He took a long drive here.

RED MEN'S CONVENTION.

Paducah, Ky., May 8.—The annual state convention of the Red Men will be held here beginning next Monday and continuing in session three days. About three hundred visiting delegates will be present, and will be entertained by the local lodge.

RIVER TOO HIGH.

Memphis, Tenn., May 8.—It has been ascertained that the gunboat Scorpion, now on her way to the Mississippi river to take part in the Confederate veterans' reunion, will be unable to pass the bridge across the river at this point, owing to the high stage of the water. She will therefore be compelled to anchor below the bridge.

FIRE AT AUGUSTA.

Augusta, Ga., May 8.—A disastrous fire is raging here. Three large cotton warehouses, already destroyed, the fire is beyond control and is spreading rapidly.

TWO CHILDREN DROWNED.

San Antonio, Tex., May 8.—A special from Victoria says: Lawrence, 12 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shibley and Roland, 10 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shibley, were drowned this morning in Spring creek, on their grandfather's place. There were no witnesses to the sad accident, but it is supposed that Lawrence lost his life in trying to save Roland.

HEAVY DECLINES.

New York, May 8.—There were heavy declines in stocks here this afternoon. In leading stocks the market became so panic that stocks were sold without regard to price.

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VERDICT FOR \$300

MRS. NANCY DAVIS GETS A JUDGMENT AGAINST THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

In the case of Nancy M. Davis vs. the Illinois Central railroad, the plaintiff claiming that she was damaged to the extent of \$1,500 by being carried by her destination by an Illinois Central train, was given \$300 damages this morning. She wanted to get off at Calvert City, and was taken to Central City.

The case of Jas. I. Poole vs. Bernhart Pryor & Co., was continued.

A. Frank vs. Illinois Central railroad, suit for damages, was also continued.

The case of August Worth vs. The City of Paducah, a demurrer striking out certain clauses in the plaintiff's answer was sustained by the court, but this does not decide the case.

The case of Ira Willis vs. The Paducah Railway and Light company, was set for the seventh day of the October term of court. This case was tried several days ago and resulted in a hung jury.

The case of Harry Origer vs. A. S. Terrell, was continued.

The case of Anderson vs. Zuber, was continued.

M. Livingston & Co. have filed suit against Mrs. L. W. Peyton on a note for \$100 and interest.

SUDDEN DEATH.

MR. JOHN BAUER DIES AT LOUISVILLE FROM HEART DISEASE.

Mr. J. Andy Bauer, the proprietor of the Paducah Pottery, was called to Louisville this morning by the news of the sudden death there this morning of his brother, Mr. John Bauer, who owns a pottery there. As he had been a sufferer from heart disease, it is supposed that it caused his death.

He was 45 years old, and leaves a wife and six children. He had several times visited Paducah, and was liked by all who knew him. Mr. Bauer, wife and two children left this morning at 11:35 for Louisville to attend the funeral.

CHIEF ENGINEER.

MR. W. W. LYON ACCEPTS A RESPONSIBLE POSITION AT MOREHEAD, KY.

Engineer W. W. Lyon, who has been a resident of Paducah for several years, and was at one time assistant city engineer, has accepted a position as chief engineer of the Morehead and West Liberty railroad, with headquarters at Morehead, Ky.

This position he will hold until fall, supervising important work, and expects to then return to Paducah. Mrs. Lyon left at noon today for Morehead to join him.

NOT POPULAR.

IS THE NEW ARRANGEMENT FOR THE EIGHTH GRADE COMMENCEMENT.

The Eighth grade commencement will probably be given on the night of the last day of school, instead of in the afternoon as arranged.

The new arrangement is not generally popular, however.

TEACHERS AT BROOKPORT.

The following teachers for the public schools have been elected at Brookport, Ill.: Prof. Whitteberg, superintendent; Mrs. Fannie Williamson and Miss Annie Farrow, teachers.

WILL HOLD AWIDE.

Mr. A. S. Thompson has consented to remain as superintendent of the Street Car company for sixty days longer, and no new superintendent will be appointed at present.

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MORE MOVING

Carnival Arrangements Are Continually Being Made for Next Week.

COMMITTEES ARE TO MEET

Manager Conley Returns and Will Rush the Work Until the Opening Next Monday.

SHOWS WILL ARRIVE NEXT SUNDAY

The committee has arranged to have the week's festivities divided as follows:

Monday, Paducah Day.

Tuesday, for all towns on the N. C. & St. L. railroad.

Wednesday, for all towns on the Illinois Central.

Thursday, State of Illinois Day—Cairo's big day.

Friday, Children's day, and special day for Fulton, Mayfield and other towns below.

Saturday, Chicago & Eastern Illinois Day.

There will be a meeting tonight of the various committees at headquarters, and all speakers and ticket sellers are requested to be on hand for instructions. Mr. H. C. Reep has been appointed a special policeman in place of director general L. A. Lagomarcino.

Thursday will be the big day. Thousands and thousands of people will be here for the flower parade and to see the big show. It is urged that all people having accommodations will at once communicate with the bureau of information at headquarters in order that none of the crowd will be unable to find a place to stay.

Friday Mr. Joe Blum will start out to collect for the booths, and desires everybody to be ready for him.

Arrangements have been made to place tickets on sale at McPherson's drug store, Robertson's drug store and Dick Clements book store during the carnival. Passes will be issued by the committee to those entitled to them, included among whom are the people residing on Court street from Seventh to Ninth, none of whom objected to the inconvenience of having the street blocked.

The school children will not have much of a holiday unless they take it themselves. It is probable from reports that the attendance in the schools will be so small that it will prove quite a drawback, but it may turn out otherwise.

Manager Conley returned from Birmingham, Ala., last night and reports that the fair there and at Chattanooga are great successes, and that the one from Paducah will doubtless also be so. He will remain here until the carnival is over. The attractions and side shows that he has provided will be of high class order, and will prove strong drawing cards. Fourteen coaches will arrive from Chattanooga Sunday from the Elks fair there and immediately begin putting up their shows in the Midway here and have everything ready for the big opening Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

During the week, at a date yet to be named, the two well known midgets, Capt. Dick Howard and Little Nick Bryant, will do their specialty, playing on the keys of Mr. L. A. Lagomarcino's cash register the beautiful ballad, entitled "When Will This Business Be Mine?"

The badges that are to be used by the special police officers appointed for

the carnival by Mayor Lang from among the Elks arrived from St. Louis yesterday, and are at Robertson's drug store. The badges for the various committee chairmen have also arrived, and are ready for distribution.

Weiss & Wolf have been granted the concession for selling a novelty in the shape of miniature electric balls, which are worn on the coat and made to flash up by pressure.

The carnival managers will have a parade of some kind every day of the fair. The people will be given a lively week.

POLICE COURT.

TWO FORMER MAYFIELD MEN CHARGED WITH

Grand Larceny—Alleged to Have Stolen \$750 From J. Frank Sanderson, of Mayfield.

Peter McAllister and John Talley, both formerly of Mayfield, were arrested last night on a charge of robbing J. Frank Sanderson, a well-known tobaccoist of Mayfield, of about \$750 day before yesterday. The reported robbery was detailed in yesterday's paper, and occurred at the resort of Irwin Clemmons, on West Court street.

Sanderson had been drinking, and claims the last he remembers was being in the house with the two men, with his money in a canvas sack. He had come up with a young man from Mayfield, who reported his condition at home and advised an officer to come to Paducah and look after Sanderson on account of the money he had on his person. Officer Webb arrived too late.

McAllister has been a caller and wiper at the Illinois Central round house at night. Talley is alleged to have been run out of Mayfield for selling whiskey. The sack in which Sanderson had his money was found near the rear steps of the Sanderson woman's house, but none of the money has been recovered.

The man were charged with grand larceny in Judge Sanders' court this morning and the case was continued until Saturday morning. In default of a \$300 bond they were both remanded to jail.

John Adams, charged with creating a disturbance at the home of Nick Solis, was fined \$30 and costs.

Charles Elliott, charged with obtaining money by false pretenses by selling a stolen pair of shoes, was held to answer and in default of bond remanded to jail.

Charles Higgins was fined \$5 and costs for a breach of ordinance.

Ed Webber and Frank Varnett, for a breach of the peace, were fined \$5 and costs each.

Doh Carl, for fast driving, was fined \$5 and costs.

Dora Jordan and Lillie Balger, for a breach of ordinance, were fined \$10 and costs. They were charged with disorderly conduct on the streets.

Ed Richardson was fined \$1 and cost for a plain drunk.

LADY RUN DOWN.

MISS ROSA LEE SERIOUSLY HURT ON BROADWAY AT NOON.

Miss Rosa Lee, of 929 North Sixth street, was run down by Henry Grinter, colored, who was scorching down Broadway on a bicycle about 12:30 o'clock today, and seriously hurt. She was knocked down and her head struck the brick street with great force. She was taken into Bailey & Robert's dry goods store and Dr. Robertson was called and attended her. She soon recovered and was taken home.

Grinter was doing what scores of men and boys do every day on Broadway at the busiest time of the day, when people are going to and from work—riding as fast as he could go. Miss Lee of course had no intimation that he was approaching and could not possibly avoid him. He was slightly hurt by the collision. He is employed at Langstaff's mill.

COUNTY COURT.

Twenty-three marriage licenses were issued last month by the county clerk in this county. Six were for colored persons.

E. Y. Ogilvie, guardian for Ben Ogilvie, was ordered to settle the estate, the young man having become of age.

The liquor license of Ward & Co. were transferred to John G. Ruciffl, and from the latter to S. B. Gott, in the county court today.

R. C. Coley deeds to J. M. Spicer, for \$500 property in the county.

The great skin specialist in America originated the formula for BANNER SALVE. For all skin diseases, all cuts or sores, and for piles, it's the most healing medicine. Beware of imitations. J. C. Gilchrist.

NO. 104 WRECKED

Fast Train on the Illinois Central Turned Over Near Kuttawa.

ENGINEER FATALLY HURT

Several Others Injured in the Accident But Particulars Are Meagre.

CAUSE OF THE ACCIDENT UNKNOWN

Fast train No. 104, which left Paducah about noon today for Louisville, was wrecked at the lake near Kuttawa this afternoon at 12:35.

It departed twenty-five minutes late, engine 205, Engineer Barney Keegan, of Paducah, Conductor Sam Miller, of Louisville, and Fireman Robert Stiff, of Paducah, in charge of the train and engine.

The engine and baggage car were turned over, going into the ditch, according to the reports, but the cause was not given.

Engineer Barney Keegan was thought to be fatally hurt and dying. Fireman Stiff was badly hurt, and both the baggage man and expressman are hurt.

A short time after the accident the first news of the disaster reached the city, and the wrecking train was ordered to the scene at once.

Drs. Dillon and Sanders were sent out to look after the injured. Owing to the excitement that prevailed, nothing definite could be ascertained from the first reports, and there was a great deal of alarm throughout the city.

The name of the baggage man could not be learned.

Charles Young is the name of the mail clerk.

The place where the accident occurred is a very dangerous one, and the train was going at its usual speed, fifty or sixty miles an hour.

At 3 o'clock a report came that the train was safe, and in danger of being burned.

None of the passengers, fortunately, were hurt. The engine and baggage car were the only part of the train to turn over and go into the ditch.

The place of the accident is about three quarters of a mile from Kuttawa, thirty miles from Paducah, this side of Kuttawa.

At present no further particulars were obtainable.

The trains from Louisville due at 3:35 and 6 o'clock this afternoon will probably be several hours late.

Mr. Stuyvesant Fish, president of the Illinois Central railroad, is reported to have said: "Railroad combinations are the result of the passage of the interstate commerce law. That made it impossible for the small lines to live, and the logical result was for the larger lines to buy up the smaller lines and then for the big lines to combine. Combinations will continue until lines territorially allied will be gathered into systems. This will result in large savings, possibly 10 to 20 per cent, and will make railroad securities more valuable, as the net earning capacity will be increased. It is not, as a rule, exorbitant rates of which the shipper complains, but discrimination. With territorial combination it will be possible to maintain rates and treat all alike." When asked if there was danger in the present tendency toward consolidation of interests, Mr. Fish said: "I believe the combination of moneyed interests is based on the foundation principle of our government, and that this country has nothing to fear from the big

companies, whether they have a capitalization of \$100,000,000 or \$1,000,000,000 or more. When the thirteen original colonies came together for protection and mutual benefit and formed the United States it was a combination of all interests. The idea is essentially American and progressive and is being worked out in a thoroughly American way. It is the result of legitimate development of the country's resources and the demands of the people. So long as combination of capital is carried on in a legitimate way there is nothing to fear, and it seems to me that good will result to the people at large. We have an example in the Standard Oil trust, which has brought about cheaper oil.

"Of course, there is a certain element of danger in great corporations if not wisely handled. The history of combinations of capital does not, in my judgment, warrant the fears expressed by many. When the era of combinations shall have ceased and stocks find their true level the country of large will find that it is better off than it was under the old order of things. I see no reason to feel apprehensive on account of the present condition of the stock market. We must realize that the changed conditions have greatly added to the value of stocks and that values are bound to increase. The great savings that result from combinations add to the value of stocks. Instead of several companies hiding on an order for steel rails for the Illinois Central the steel combination can say to the railroad, 'Take your rails from the Illinois mills, thereby making a great saving in expense of shipment.'"

Mr. Hardy Bryant has accepted a position as switchman on the Illinois Central. He was formerly employed in the yardmaster's office.

NOT A CANDIDATE.

SENATOR HANNA HAS NO ASPIRATIONS TO SUCCEED PRESIDENT MCKINLEY.

Washington, May 8.—"I am not a candidate for the presidency," said Senator Hanna laughingly, after he had read the interview with Secretary of the National Committee Perry S. Heath, printed in the special cablegram from London to the Herald this morning.

Mr. Heath's interview did not seem to displease the senator from Ohio, but he declined to discuss it in any way, and when pressed for a statement, said:

"If you want to interview you will have to interview yourself, I won't talk about it."

INTERESTING REPORTS

FOR TONIGHT.

The prayer service at Broadway Methodist church tonight will be devoted to reports from the great Mission Conference in New Orleans. There will be one or two short speeches and appropriate songs. All are invited, especially those interested in Christian work.

IS GETTING WORSE.

Hau Cannon, who was shot by "General" Brooks last Friday, is not getting along so well as he was at first. He is at the city hospital and is suffering a great deal today.

EASY PAYMENT IN.

VESTMENT LOTS.

George street, near Franklin school, 40 feet, \$115. \$15 cash, balance \$100 per month.

Barrett street, 40 feet, \$25. \$25 cash, balance \$10 per month.

Jones street, 40 feet, \$25 cash \$10 per month, \$375.

Near new depot, \$100. \$25 cash, balance \$10 per month.

Mechanicsburg, 40 feet, \$10 cash, balance \$5 per month. Lot 40x254.

Near Oak Grove cemetery, \$100, \$25 cash, balance \$5 per month.

WHITTEMORE'S 430 BROADWAY AGENCY.

A BIG BLAZE

The Alden Knitting Mills Damaged \$27,000 by Fire This Morning.

THE ORIGIN IS UNKNOWN

Watchman Discovered the Blaze in the Second Story—Fire Department Old Fire Work.

WILL BE REBUILT IMMEDIATELY

The Alden Knitting mill, at Eighth and Jones street, was badly damaged by fire about 4 o'clock this morning. Watchman Charles Ottman discovered the blaze near the elevator on the second floor, and turned in an alarm at 3:45 o'clock. The fire had gained considerable headway in the inflammable material before the departments arrived, and although the firemen did excellent work, the upper floor was gutted, and the machines, eighty-four in number, will probably be a total loss.

Downstairs the damage was not so great, and the roof of the building was not burned off.

The blaze started in a dressing room near the elevator, and its origin is unknown. One theory was that it was from an electric wire, but Fire Chief Woods thinks that spontaneous combustion caused it.

The configuration made a big blaze, and many people were out to witness the good work of the fire departments. Most of the damage downstairs was occasioned by water.

The Knitting mill was established here several months ago, having been moved from New Orleans. It began running about March 4th, and employed 100 hands. Its first shipment was made last week, and it was doing a good business, and was numbered among Paducah's largest and most important industries. It was controlled by local capital, and its officers are as follows: Robt. B. Phillips, president; F. L. Scott, vice president; W. H. McLellan, treasurer; Alex. Kirkland, secretary; A. W. McLellan, general manager; A. J. Bauberg, superintendent; and M. H. Bailey, foreman of the knitting department.

Board of directors: R. B. Phillips, F. L. Scott, Geo. C. Wallace, L. M. Rieko, and A. W. and W. H. McLellan.

The estimated damage to the building is \$3,000; stock, \$4,000; machinery, \$20,000, a total of \$27,000. On this there is \$25,000 insurance.

The machinery, which is considered a total loss, will be replaced at once, and the factory started again as soon as possible.

General Manager McLellan was in New Orleans, but was telegraphed this morning and left at once for Paducah. He is expected in tonight.

The disaster will be keenly felt by the 100 employees who are thrown out of employment, but the work of reconstruction will be pushed and it is hoped to soon have it in operation again.

FIRE NEAR FULTON.

Fulton, Ky., May 8.—The home of Mr. George Meacham, three miles from Fulton, was destroyed by fire night before last, loss about \$1,400.

A LITTLE ARITHMETIC.

1st —On January 1st Mrs. Jones buys her boy a \$2 suit at a "cheap store," as she calls it.

2nd —On February 1st she finds the suit about worn out, and buys another at the cheap store for \$1.50.

3rd —On March 1st she is compelled to buy still another, and she spends \$2.50 this time, at the cheap store.

4th —On May 1st she finds the last suit worn out and she brings her boy here and buys him a suit which we guarantee to wear at least six months. She pays \$3, now how much would Mrs. Jones have saved had she bought of us in the first place? If the sum is worth saving, buy your boys' clothing here.

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A DAILY THOUGHT.
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SUBURBAN FIRE PROTECTION.

The question of protection from fire in Rowlandtown is one that must be settled by the council. The people pay taxes and reside inside the corporate limits, but beyond a few vacant electric lamps and an occasional visit from a night policeman, the residents get no action for their money, as the saying is. There is no way to protect their property in case of fire, and few of the advantages enjoyed by the town residents are theirs. Owing to the sparsely settled location it is impossible for the council to compel the Water company to lay water mains to the former suburb, for before this can be done there must be three bona fide subscribers to every block, and these cannot be secured along the line of extension to Rowlandtown, for they are not there. The city should make an appropriation in the approaching tax levy for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the extension, whatever they might be after some agreement is reached with the Water company, which will no doubt be willing to do what is right. The people of Rowlandtown are entitled to fire protection and two fires within the past several days demonstrate that they haven't got it. It is not too late for the council to make some provision for achieving some definite result along this line if it do.

THE TAX IS.

The tax for this year is to be \$1.45, according to the estimate sent out at headquarters. This is five cents less than it was last year, but it is still too much. This year the total assessment will be on about seven and a half million dollars, which is better than it was last year, because there will be no rebate this year. It has been the custom to assess the banks and then compromise with them, and to assess steamboats which subsequently proved that they were assessed elsewhere, and paid none of the tax, thus reducing the collections just that much, whatever it amounted to. This year it is different. The steamboats were not assessed, and the banks were assessed at the rate used as a basis of settlement, and as a result the seven millions and a half and the amount of tax represents is all good money, and will all be collected, which will give the city much more money this year than last to defray the expenses of city government. And having more money, the natural tendency of capable financiers would be to reduce the tax rate. It is not known yet what the estimates for running the city government will be, because they have not been presented by the finance committee of the council, but unless they are greatly in excess of what they have been, the Sun thinks the rate is too large. More can be determined about it, however, when the report of the committee is made.

The imperative need of an inspector of electric wires in Paducah is demonstrated every day. Despite the size of the city, the number of its business houses and the abundance of electric wires, there is no one to see that the wires are properly strung and insulated and kept on. The entire town, it might be said, is at the mercy of the electricians, who may do their work well, or on other persons often do, make mistakes which may prove most costly. The insurance men have long urged the appointment of an inspector, but have never succeeded in getting one. The town is a hot work of wires. They are everywhere, and the most trivial defect in the strung of them may prove disastrous to the city. It is to the interest of all alike to have wire inspector, and the underwriters will demand one and work reluctantly until they get one. Fire Chief James Wood stated this morning that no less than half a dozen fires

have been caused in Paducah within the past year or two by electric wires, one of which was at the Decker mill only a short time ago, and another at the Kentucky Glass and Queensware store some time ago. It is possible that last night's fire was caused by a wire, and possible that the one at Morton's open house was. The appointment of an inspector of wires would be a wise precaution, and a profitable investment.

Dr. McCormick has shot his little wad and retired. It is hoped that he feels better after being relieved of his surplus of bile. Those Dr. McCormick has accused may be as bad as he is, but they at least have the advantage of not having yet been fired.

There are a few new faces noticed among the "moocohers" on Broadway, but most of them are old "mungs." There seems to be rich pickin' just now, but it will all be over in a few days.

We need plenty of decorations during the carnival. Everybody should beautify store and residence.

THE TAX RATE.

IT WILL THIS YEAR BE A DOLLAR AND FORTY-FIVE CENTS.

It has been decided by the finance committee of the council that the tax levy for the ensuing year will be a dollar and forty-five cents, a dollar for city purposes and forty-five cents for the schools.

TO BE A CAPTAIN.

Lieutenant A. S. Fleming, U. S. A., now in charge of the recruiting station at Louisville, will be raised to the rank of captain under the reorganization of the army on the basis of 76,000 men. This is the statement in a dispatch from Washington.

Lieutenant Fleming is a son of Judge W. B. Fleming, of Louisville. He graduated from West Point and was in charge of the recruiting station here a few weeks ago.

DEATH OF CHILDREN.

John, the six-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. John Watts, of 920 Clay street, died yesterday and was buried today at 2 o'clock in Oak Grove cemetery.

RED MEN INCREASING.

Friday night there will be an initiation of about twenty at the Red Men's hall in Campbell building. The order is increasing rapidly, and last Friday night about twenty were taken in. State Organizer Jones is here now and will remain until about the 14th. He is getting many applications for membership in the order.

SUES FOR WAGES.

C. W. Holder this morning filed in quietly court a suit for \$100 against the Illinois Central. He asks for \$45 salary and for \$55 damages. He claims that he was discharged and the company refused to pay him on the grounds that he had been garnished, and that the name of the person who is alleged to have garnished was withheld from him.

DIED FROM PNEUMONIA.

Mrs. Mollie Rawlinson, aged 36, died yesterday at her home near Florence Station from pneumonia, after a ten days' illness. She leaves a husband, Mr. E. Rawlinson, and two sons and two daughters. The funeral took place this morning, burial at the Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

JACKSONVILLE SUFFERERS.

Typographical Union No. 184, of Paducah, is entitled to credit for the quick and liberal manner in which it responded to the call for aid from the members in Jacksonville, Fla. In a short time, the members in the city donated over \$10. It will be forwarded at once.

\$100 REWARD.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreadful disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is cancer. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Cancer being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the cause of the disease, and bringing the patient strength by building up the constitution. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.

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THE RIVER NEWS.



Cairo, 20.1, fall.
Chattanooga, 6.2, fall.
Cincinnati, 17.5, fall.
Evansville, 26.7, fall.
Johnsonville, 8.7, fall.
Louisville, 4.5, fall.
Mt. Carmel, 7.2, fall.
Nashville, 7.3, fall.
Paducah, 29.7, fall.
Pittsburg, 3.9, stand.
St. Louis, 13.4, fall.

Observation taken at 7 a. m. River 32.7 on the gauge, a fall of 1.9 in last 24 hours. Wind northwest, a light breeze. Weather, cloudy and cooler. Temperature 57. Fell. Observer.

The John K. Speed, from Cincinnati, arrived at 8 o'clock this morning with her guards dragging the water. She had 1800 tons of freight and discharged a large amount of it for this city, Nashville and Chattanooga. The Nashville freight was received by the Battorf today and the Avalon will take the Chattanooga freight next week.

The Woolfolk departed for Cairo at 8:30 this morning with a good trip of people.

Metropolis has sixty cases of smallpox and the disease rapidly spreading. What's the matter with Paducah that she don't quarantine. Brookport quarantined day before yesterday.

The Waterways Journal of last issue was full of excellent nautical information.

The H. W. Battorf, from Clarksville, arrived early this morning and departed for Nashville this afternoon with all she could "tote."

The Clyde is receiving to leave for Riverston, Ala., and all Tennessee river way landings this afternoon, and is getting a big trip.

The Charleston departed with a good trip for Tennessee river last evening.

The City of Pittsburgh, from Memphis, will pass up tomorrow for Cincinnati. She's the pride of the lower Ohio, and if you wish to take a delightful river voyage take the City of Pittsburgh.

The Tennessee is due out of Tennessee river tomorrow night.

The elegant Steamer New South is due up today from New Orleans on her way to Cincinnati.

River still falling, weather cloudy and threatening rain; northwest wind; temperature has fallen ten degrees since yesterday morning. Business very good in river circles. The river reached on the gauge at 7 a. m., 32.7.

The Beaver, with a tow of empties, passed up for Cincinnati yesterday evening with Captain Frank Farnsey in command and Wallace Farnsey at the wheel.

The Sunbeam leaves Cincinnati today for Memphis. On her return to Cincinnati she will make preparations to take the Confederate Veterans to Memphis from Louisville and other Ohio river points. The City of Pittsburgh should have been the boat to make the trip.

The rapid fall last night left a big barge of railroad iron on the track over in Brookport and an attempt to unload the barge so as to lighten the weight and float it off is being made, but if they are not successful the iron will be dumped into the river.

Next Sunday afternoon when the new steamer Morning Star, of the Louisville & Evansville Mail Line, comes promptly into the local port people will be forcibly reminded of the good old days of steamboating twenty years ago, says a Hender-Exchange. The Morning Star is said to be a beauty and will be one of the finest boats that runs on the Ohio river. She is large and a side-wheeler. The Morning Star will be timed to reach Evansville each Sunday and leave here on Monday morning for Louisville. The arrival of the new boat will be made quite an event. When the new steamer starts on her first up-stream trip she will carry an excursion party of Evansville people. They are now arranging for a trip from here to Louisville and return. It now remains to be seen what will Henderson do towards showing proper appreciation of this fine steamer being permitted to extend her trips here. The matter has been talked over in certain quarters but no agreement has been reached.

Thomas Maple, Birkbeck, Ill., writes: "I had a very bad case of kidney trouble, and my back pained me so I could not straighten up. The doctor's treatment did me no good. I got FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE advertised and took one bottle. It cured me and I have not been affected since. I gladly recommend this remedy." J. C. Gilbert.

AFTER HON. CHAS. REED

CAMP OF THE SONS OF VETERANS ORGANIZED LAST NIGHT.

Last night at McPherson's drug store a camp of the "Sons of Veterans" was organized, named after Hon. Chas. Reed, of the Palmer House, and the following officers elected: Commandant, J. D. McQuot; first lieutenant, B. B. Davis; second lieutenant, commandant, S. A. Fowler; adjutant, Jesse Ullman; surgeon, Dr. J. R. Coleman; quartermaster, Edward Walbert; treasurer, W. B. McPherson; sergeant, Gardner Gilbert; Historian, Zach Bryant. Miss Emma Reed was chosen sponsor for the camp to represent it at the Confederate reunion. Another meeting will be held on May 20th.

Piles are not only most painful, but also very dangerous, as the inflamed nodules are very apt to take on malignant action and cancer of the rectum is produced. They should be cured. TABLER'S BUCKEYE PILE OINTMENT will cure the most obstinate cases. Price 50 cents in bottles. Tubes 75 cents.

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MARRIAGE AT HICKMAN.

Hickman, Ky., May 8.—Mr. J. W. Jackson and Miss Kate King, the former of Clinton, were married in Hickman by Rev. W. S. Roney. They are well known young people.

"I had a running sore on my breast for over a year," says Henry R. Richards of Wilkesville, N. Y., "and tried a great many remedies, but got no relief until I used BANNER SALVE. After using one-half box, I was perfectly cured. I cannot recommend it too highly." J. C. Gilbert.

THE AKRON ROUTE

SCHEDULES ARE OUT.

Pan-American Exposition visitors from the South may go through to Buffalo without change by leaving Louisville at 1:00 p. m. and 3:15 a. m., Cincinnati 4:30 p. m. and 8:30 a. m., daily via The Akron Route. Fares and other particulars, information will be supplied upon application by C. H. Hagerty, D. P. Agt., Louisville, Ky., or Geo. H. Rockwell, A. G. P. Agt., Cincinnati, O.

Children who are weak, fretful or troublesome should be given a few doses of WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. They will then become strong, healthy and active, have rosy cheeks, bright eyes, will be happy and laughing all the day long. Price 25 cents.

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Pure drugs carefully compounded.

Souls' 125c

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A Grand May Sale.

Another big stock of Millinery will reach us Monday for our Great May Sale.

More extended values than we have yet shown this season will feature this sale. To miss the splendid opportunities we offer in this sale will be unwise.

Silk Skirts.

For the May Sale, don't delay the coming fall prices suit you. Plain Taffeta Silk Skirts \$5.00. Taffeta Silk Skirts trimmed with one row of rouching, \$6.50. Taffeta Silk Skirts trimmed with several rows of rouching, \$10.00.

Dress Goods and Silks.

A Great May Sale of Silks and Dress Goods at remarkably low prices. Silks at 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and 95c a yard.

Special May Bargains in Notions and small wares.

Card boxes and eyes, 1 cent. Two Aluminum thumbelins, 1 cent. School sponges, 1 cent. Children's Handkerchiefs, 1 cent. Steel plates, all sizes, 1 cent a pair. Tiger Darning Cotton, 1 cent. White tape, 1 to 2 cents a ball. Safety pins, 2 to 3 cents a dozen. Men's hair collar buttons, 3c a dozen. Cabinet wire hair pins, 3c a box. Brass pins, 4c a paper. White shirt buttons, 4c a gross. Kid curlers, 4 to 7 inches, 4c. Sink brushes, 3 cents. Scrub brushes, 5 cents. Pearl dress buttons, all sizes, 4c a doz. Fancy filled garter elastic, 3c a spool. Lustrous Crochet cotton, 4c a spool. Corset steels, 4c a pair. Bones casing, all colors, 10c a piece. Iron bones, different lengths, 6 cents a dozen.

Shoe and Oxfords.

A Great Stock for the May Sale. Little prices, big values. Never before have we been able to save you more money on good reliable footwear.

A Great May Sale of Men's and Boys' Clothing.

We offer notable bargains which will create enthusiasm when you see them. It simply costs you nothing to look, we invite you here for that purpose. An unexampled sale of Men's Shirts at 48c, 75c and 95c.

Mattings Bargains.

We continue our sale of high grade Mattings at 25c and 30c, and invite your attention to our 10c, 15c and 18c Mattings.

Harbour's 112 North Third Street.

BASEBALL.

WESTERN ASSOCIATION.
Toledo, 5; Grand Rapids, 1.
Columbus-Indianapolis, wet grounds.
Marion-Fort Wayne, wet grounds.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Pittsburg, 8; Chicago, 0.
Cincinnati, 4; St. Louis, 3.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Boston, 7; Washington, 3.
Baltimore, 14; Philadelphia, 1.
Detroit, 9; Milwaukee, 3.
Cleveland-Chicago, wet grounds.

THE GREAT SCOURGE.

Of modern times is consumption. Many cures and discoveries from time to time are published, but FOLEY'S KIDNEY AND LIVER CURE truthfully claim to cure all cases in the early stages and always afford comfort and relief in the very worst cases. Take no substitutes.

J. C. Gilbert.

SOUTHERN FORM.

THE AKRON ROUTE.

THROUGH PASSENGER SERVICE TO BUFFALO FOR PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION.

The opening of the Pan-American Buffalo Line—"Akron Route"—May 5, establishes a new outlet from the South to Chattanooga, Lake, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and St. Lawrence river and Canada resorts. It also opens a new tourist route via Buffalo and the Niagara frontier to New York and the East.

Schedules for the new route are out, and their arrangement indicates passengers over it are to have enjoyable trips to and from the Pan-American exposition.

From Louisville there is also double daily train service. The Pan-American express leaves Louisville 1 p. m. over L. and N. railroad with first class coach and sleeping car, going through via Cincinnati, Columbus and Akron to Buffalo, reaching that point at 8:15 next morning. The second train departs from Louisville at 8:15 a. m. with sleeping car via Cincinnati to Columbus and from Cincinnati to Columbus through to Buffalo, taking passengers to Buffalo without requiring them to step from the train. The arriving time at Buffalo is midnight, but passengers occupying sleeping car may remain in their berths until 7 a. m. Returning trains leave Buffalo 1 p. m. arrive Louisville 11:31 a. m.; leave Buffalo 6:30 p. m., arrive Louisville 2:15 p. m.

Information about fares to Buffalo, Niagara Falls and beyond, stop over privileges at Buffalo, and other details may be ascertained by communicating with C. H. Hagerty, D. P. Agt., Louisville, Ky.; Geo. E. Rockwell, A. G. P. Agt., Cincinnati, O.

Dress Goods.

46-inch all Wool Etamine, in Old Rose, Green and Blue, only 39c per yard.

44-inch all Wool Crepe de Chine, worth 99c, to be sold at 75c per yard.

47-inch all Wool flannels and flannel in all the new shades, worth 60c to be sold at 41c per yard.

46-inch all Wool Venetian Cloth in Skirts and Dresses, only 49c per yard.

Gold Suitings in all colors for Skirts, only 39c per yard.

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If you want anything or wish in part with anything try..... ME

WANTED—A competent lady book keeper and stenographer. Nice position. Address, D. care of Sun.

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FOR RENT—A most desirable room cottage. Center of town. Enquire at 8th office.

BOYS WANTED.
Steady work will be given boys at the Alden Knitting mill at Eighth and Jones streets. Apply at once. 2nd

SPEND THE SUMMER IN THE MOUNTAINS.

If there is one region more favored than another, or more suited for the health and pleasure seeker during the summer months, it is among the Cumberland and Lookout mountains of Tennessee. In these mountains, along the lines of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway, are to be found many health and pleasure resorts, such as Monteagle, Lookout Mountain, East Brook Springs, Bon Aqua Springs, Red Bolling Springs, Nicholson Springs, Estill Springs, Beersheba Springs and many others; all offering attractions mostly contributed by nature.

The pleasing topography, shady nooks, green grass and splendid waters of Middle Tennessee in the highlands and mountains insure to the visitor and to those seeking rest and recuperation the very best advantages. This region is within easy reach of Western Kentucky, West Tennessee and the great Mississippi river bottom.

The facilities for reaching these resorts are the very best that can be afforded, consisting of convenient schedules, fast trains, sleeping car accommodations and everything that can combine to the comfort and pleasure of the passenger.

Think seriously of spending the summer at one of these resorts, and write to R. G. Cowardin, city passenger and ticket agent, Memphis, Tenn., or to W. L. Danley, general passenger agent, Nashville, Tenn., for descriptive literature.

Rheumatism is conceded to have its origin in a poisonous condition of the blood, and to be most successfully treated by HERBINE, which acts upon the liver, kidneys and other blood purifying organs, thereby restoring the system of the offending agents. Price 50 cents.

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CLOSING OUT SALE.

More bargains for this week.
100 brick coal fish, 50c
One gallon best apple, 20c
Three pound can of peaches, 12 1/2c
Three pound can of tomatoes, 7 1/2c
Two pound can of corn, 7 1/2c
Good rice per pound, 5c
10c pling R. W. Greenville, 50c
Best navy beans 8 pounds for, 25c
Country hams (lard per pound, 10c)
100 packages rolled oats, 50c
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If you are in the market for a new bicycle see Williams Bicycle Co. They can save you money. Jefferson and Fifth streets.

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It is Money you want to save. Our stock of Groceries is fresh, and is always on hand. LET US SEND YOU A CATALOGUE. Telephone No 430 M. H. Gallagher, Ninth and Trimble.



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100 of this extra large Willow Rockers to be sold at \$2.19 cash. Get this bargain before it is too late. You will find everything in our immense stock as great bargains in proportion to the above. Call and get our prices before you buy. If our prices are not right we do not ask you to buy.

F. N. GARDNER & CO
YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD. 124-126 S. THIRD STREET.



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But we don't want your money unless we give you its full equivalent in the best work in our line that can be secured. We have made a scientific study of the plumbing trade and in fitting up buildings and homes with water pipes, bath room fittings, steam and hot water heat, and our prices are always reasonable.

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Cyclists should always carry a bottle of BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT in case of accident. If applied immediately it will relieve the pain, remove swelling and discoloration, and quickly heal the wounds. Price, 25 and 50 cents.

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Want to rent a house of three rooms close to central part of town. J. W. care Sun.

SOUTHERN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION MEETING NEW ORLEANS, LA., MAY 9 TO 16, 1901.

For the above occasion the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway will sell round trip tickets to New Orleans and return May 7, 8 and 9 for \$11.40, limited to May 20. By depositing ticket with joint agent at New Orleans an extension may be obtained until June 5.

E. B. BURNHAM, Agent.

FREE

An Attraction Without a Parallel, Achille Philon, in his Wonderful Balancing Act.

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ELKS STREET FAIR, PADUCAH, KENTUCKY, MAY 13th TO 18th.

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TAKE OUR
Men's Spring
Suits AT \$10

Every clothing house shows you \$10 suits, but what do they consist of? Did you ever compare them to ours? In the Spring Styles for \$10 we give you choice of Fifty styles in Cheviots, Scotch Flannels and Worsteds in Plain and Fancy Colors, also Blue and Black Unfinished Worsteds and Serges, made by skilled labor, lined and trimmed in the most substantial way, and if you compare them you'll find them the equal of the \$12 suits elsewhere.

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EXCLUSIVE FASHIONS FOR MEN

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Keep the Very Latest Styles in Millinery Goods. Give her a call at 329 Broadway. Telephone 697.

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Is on draught at all prominent places.

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It is Strictly Union Made and Has no Superior.

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The grandest, largest and most tasteful stock of lawns, dimities and laces ever shown in Paducah.
70c per yard for a 10c quality of lawn in light, medium and dark colorings; beautiful all over patterns, stripes, dots and figures.
100c per yard for choice of an immense assortment of beautiful dimities and lawns.
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Carpets and Curtains.

If you have a home to furnish consult us. Whether it is a room, a modest cottage or a imposing residence you can not afford to pass us by. Makes no difference how much or how little you desire we have an immense variety to show you.

Great heavy matting at 12c per yard.
30 pieces of Jap matting, good quality of cotton warp at 20c.
All wool filling extra super carpets at 40c yard.
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Tapestry Brussels carpets at 45c per yard.
Velvet carpets, all new patterns at 50c per yard.

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Furniture Polish,
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Rat Exterminator,
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LOCAL LINES.

—FOR Dr. Penley telephone 416.
—Thomas J. Miller, of Wickliffe, Ky., has filed a petition in bankruptcy giving liabilities to the amount of \$781.62.

—Something out of the ordinary at Sam Gott's lunch tomorrow. —Elks decorations, footcoting, bunting, flags, bangles. R. D. Olemenis & Co., headquarters for everything in this line.

—Mr. Newt Atkinson, formerly of Murray, who was once a well known baseball player, has just returned from the Philippines, and will arrive about June 1st to join the Marble Falls baseball team. He is a pitcher and fielder and a ground batter. He was with the Bloomer girls for two seasons.

—William Green, colored, from Cincinnati, aged 19, who had a hummerphage at the city hall while a prisoner in the lockup, died last night at the city hospital. The body will be buried in the papers' burying ground.

—Sam Gott will have something fine for lunch tomorrow—something that will surprise you.

—Senle's for prescriptions. 12th & Main.

—Born, to the wife of Officer William Suddeth last night, a boy.

—Iron wanted — Joseph Bauer. Phone 284.

—Mr. W. R. Griffith, the well-known tobacco man of Benton, is in the city.

—Now is the time to have your hat spring clothes cleaned, pressed and repaired. Send them to Friedman's Steam Cleaning works, 331 Broadway.

—Something new and good at Sam Gott's for lunch tomorrow.

—G. M. Shelton has been appointed postmaster at Paducah, Graves county, to succeed S. E. Barbee, dead.

Have your house cleaned and repaired by Clyde Cooper, the carpenter. Shop 422 Jefferson, or phone residence.

—There is no noticeable change in the condition of Mr. Charles M. Leake today.

—Send your soiled clothes to Friedman's Steam Cleaning works, office 331 Broadway.

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THE WEATHER.

Today has been quite cool, the minimum being 54, forty degrees cooler than last week. Many overcoats were in evidence today. The predictions are for fair and warmer weather to night and tomorrow.

CONFEDERATE REUNION.

On May 27th, 28th, 29th and 30th the Illinois Central railroad will sell tickets from Paducah to Memphis and return at \$3.30, good returning until June 4th. These tickets will be good on all regular trains and on special trains which will be run for the occasion.

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Made of Silk-finished materials.

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BONDS FOR THE ROAD SAID TO BE SOLD—COMPLETION BY SEPTEMBER.

Metropolis, Ill., May 8.—Golconda is to be connected with the rest of the world with a railroad. This seems to be an assured fact. Two surveys have been completed from Golconda to points on the Illinois Central, one above and the other below Big Bay.

The road will be built over the line over which the right of way is most easily obtained.

It is said the bonds for the construction of the road have already been sold and that the road will be completed by the first of September. When finished ready for the rolling stock the Illinois Central will take charge and operate it in connection with the line into Metropolis.

THE SICK.

Miss Corinne Winstead is ill at her home at Seventh and Washington streets.

Mr. Z. C. Graham is quite ill at his home in the country.

Mr. Lawrence Davis, of North Twelfth street, is quite ill from malarial fever.

Mr. Roy Potter, the physical instructor at the Y. M. C. A., is suffering from a sprained back.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Registered at the New Richmond: J. W. Scull, Tell City, Ind.; S. G. Boyd, Lowell, Ky.; J. F. Stewart, Evansville; Louis Selkassala, Unionville, Ill.

Registered at the Palmer: J. W. Graham, Bismarck, Ky.; A. H. Jenkins, Boston; Jas. Danforth, Detroit; C. E. Draper, Hamilton; L. Piker, Harrodsburg, Ky.; John M. Coffey, Jr., E. M. Daniels, Boston; Louis B. Helburn, Louisville.

Registered at the St. Nicholas: S. J. Ferguson, Murray, Ky.; L. H. Hatley, Eldridgeville; T. P. Farmer, Murray, Ky.; J. W. Gilbert, Murray, Ky.; El Ciel and wife, Cairo, Ill.

A CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to herein express my thanks to the old friends and patrons of the Paducah stock yards for the liberal patronage and favors shown us in the past five years and am confident that I only express the appreciation that my late husband and son would feel if living. I have leased the stock yards to Mr. G. M. Thompson who needs no introduction from me, as he is one of your own people, having lived in Paducah all his life. However, I hope you will give him the same encouragement extended to the old firm. Again thanking you I beg to remain with kindest feelings, Yours very truly, MRS. W. P. HAMILTON.

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An entire new lot of monuments of very finest granite, modern and classic designs. Most of this work will remain on exhibition at a very short while and those contemplating buying will do well to call at once. We do not annoy by solicitors.

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MARKET REPORT

Today's Quotations.

(Market quotations furnished by Van Dusen & Sons, 113 South Third street, received over their special wire in the Chicago board of trade and New York cotton and stock exchanges. Telephone 51.)

GRAIN.

WHEAT—Open High Low Close

May.... 73½ 73½ 73½

July.... 73½ 73½ 73½

CORN—

May.... 52 52a

July.... 46 46½b

OATS—

May.... 28½ 28½

July.... 26½ 27½a

PROVISIONS

PORK—

May.... 14.95 14.82

July.... 14.97 14.95

LARD—

May.... 8.00 7.95a

July.... 7.95 7.90a

RIBS—

May.... 8.10 8.07a

July.... 7.90 7.87b

N. Y. COTTON

May.... 7.43 7.47

July.... 7.42 7.49

Aug.... 7.15 7.22

Sept.... 7.05 7.10

Dec.... 6.92 6.96

Jan.... 6.91 6.97

N. Y. STOCKS

Sugar.... 148 148

B. R. T.... 83½ 83½

A. M. T.... 126 127½

U. S. R.... 80½ 81½

U. S. S. P.... 97½ 98½

L. & N.... 107 108½

T. C. I.... 63½ 63

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Miss Everett McDaniel, of Troy, Ind., is visiting Mrs. Lem Goodman on South Eighth street.

Reva Miller and Cooper, of Smithland, were in the city yesterday en route to New Orleans to attend the Southern Baptist convention.

Miss Mary Wilson, of Richmond, Col., returned home today at noon after a visit to Mrs. Atchison, of West Jefferson street.

Mrs. Mollie Meehan, of Paris, Texas, is visiting Mrs. Laura Fowler.

Miss Sarah Massengale, daughter of Superintendent John Massengale, of the St. Louis and Tennessee River Packet company, was here last evening with a party of friends from St. Louis en route up the Tennessee for a round trip on the City of Clifton.

Mr. Saunders Fowler is in Evansville on business.

Mr. J. R. Martin, the tobaccoist, of Louisville, is visiting his family on Madison street.

Mr. T. H. Martin and wife, of Louisville, will arrive tomorrow to visit Mrs. M. Martin.

Miss Viola Threlkeld, of Smithland, is a guest of the family of W. L. Wilkerson, on North Fourth street.

Miss Lucy Barrett, of Louisville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Langstaff, Jr.

Mrs. J. A. Roe, of Springfield, Ill., arrived from Golconda to visit her daughter, Mrs. James P. Smith.

Dr. R. H. Caldwell leaves in a few days for Fort Worth, Texas, to visit his daughter.

Mrs. Edward DeHaven, Miss Mamie Johnson, Mr. James Cooper and Rev. Samuel Miller, of Smithland, left this morning for New Orleans to attend the Southern Baptist convention.

Mr. Frank Effinger returned yesterday from Vincennes, Ind., where he attended the German Evangelical assembly.

Mr. Frank Wheeler, an Illinois Central conductor of Louisville, is in the city attending court. Mr. Wheeler was a former resident of this city.

Mr. M. J. Keirce, of Evansville, is in the city attending court.

Miss Corinne Puryear is on the sick list.

Miss Jayne Stewart, of Columbus, O., will arrive tomorrow to visit Miss Myrtle Decker.

Miss Estelle Woodard, of New Orleans, arrived today on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. MacCalland, at the Inn.

Mr. Oscar Baker, of Cairo, left this morning for Memphis, after a brief visit to friends in this city.

Mr. A. R. Ticknor, of Princeton, Ky., was at the Palmer House today.

Mr. Stanley H. Allen, of Louisville, is in the city.

Mr. John Terrell went to Mond City today on business.

Mr. V. Allison, of Mt. Vernon, Ind., came in on the Hopkins today.

Mrs. Sherer and Miss Worker, of Carversville, were in the city today.

Mr. Ernest Lackey returned today from Golconda.

Judge Thomas Evans, of Livingston county, was in the city today.

Mr. David Adams, of Smithland, was in the city today.

Mr. Ed Gillen returned today from a trip to Smithland.

Mr. J. P. Stewart, the well known drummer, is in the city today.

Mr. V. H. Thomas, of the firm of Harding & Miller, went to Eldridgeville today at noon on business.

Mr. Thos. G. Cade, the well known Simmons Hardware company representative, is in the city.

Mr. Hurman Katterjohn went to Louisville today at noon.

Mr. Robert Moore, of Winchester, Va., a Harvard graduate, is in the city on a brief visit.

Messrs. Jeff J. Read and John Lane are expected back from Owensboro and other cities this afternoon.

Miss Georgia Pastore, of Princeton, will be the guest of Misses Rucker, of Jackson street, during the carnival.

Mr. Henry P. Nunn, who returned last night from a trip down the N. O. & St. L. left at noon today over the St. Louis division for all towns on that line.

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PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

Willie B. Brittain, of Rhea, Calloway county, filed a petition in bankruptcy this morning, giving liabilities to the amount of \$407.46.

Williams Bicycle Co. everything for cycles, Jefferson and Fifth streets. 3544.

THE AKRON ROUTE

SCHEDULES ARE OUT.

Pan-American Exposition visitors from the South may go through to Buffalo without change by leaving Louisville at 1:00 p. m. and 3:15 a. m., Cincinnati at 4:30 p. m. and 8:30 a. m., daily via "The Akron Route." Fare and other particular information will be supplied upon application by C. H. Hager, D. P. Act., Louisville, Ky., or Geo. H. Rockwell, G. P. Act., Cincinnati, O.

The old railroad, Friedman's Steam Cleaning works, 331 Broadway.

The Tennessee is due out of Tennessee tomorrow night.



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SOCIAL NOTES.

Quite a pleasant surprise was tendered Miss Birdie Owen at her home on West Trimble street by her little friends last evening. A very pleasant time was spent by all and delightful refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Helen McBroome, Pauline Corle, Ethel Hawkins, Nora Potter, Lillie Maret, May Bowman, Ima Barclay, Jennie Lee, Emma Hawkins, Laura Lee (sister), Ruth Martin, Nellie Koss, Bertha Crawford, Ruth Belgrave, Agnes Housman, Cora Potter, Edith Walker, Nellie Roark, Minnie Roark, Masters Will Roark, Will Crawford, Will Overstreet, Will Straub, Bob Haller, George Goussens, two Rapp, Jamie Maret, Nerrin Allen and Charles Lee.

The Magazine club will meet with Mrs. H. E. Reed, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The reports will be from Harper's Magazine, Atlantic Monthly, The Outlook and Review of Reviews.

Mrs. L. A. Fowler entertains the Married Ladies' Enchore club this afternoon.

The Wednesday Afternoon Enchore club meets with Miss Irene Behr ab.

Yesterday was ladies' day at the bowling alley. Mrs. R. B. Phillips made the highest score.

Mrs. B. Wells, North Eighth street, entertains the Whist club this evening.

NOTICE.

The Paducah Gaslight company will on and after May 10, sell at cost for cash or on credit, samples of the Detroit Gaslight now on exhibition at the gas office, 316 North Third street, and orders can be placed for same. The company offers the following inducements to encourage people to use gas fuel: Free service, free gas connections. Parties living on streets where there are no gas mains, please make application at office and a suitable amount of consumers can be obtained. The mains will be extended. Parties not having good service heretofore will please notify the office. All complaints will receive prompt attention.

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